PROCEDURE FOR NEW NOTARY COMMISSION

PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY:

Court's Committee on Notaries Public The Miami County Bar Association c/o The Miami County Law Library Miami County Safety Bldg. 3rd Floor 201 W. Main St. Troy, OH 45373 937/440-5994

- 1. Eligibility:
- A. At least 18 years old.
- B. Resident of Miami County for at least 30 days...
- C. Has never been convicted of an unpardoned or unexpunged felony in Ohio or any other state.
- 2. Applicant shall receive one Notary Public Guidebook for \$1.00 when picked up at law library between 9:00am-11:30am and 12:30pm-3:30pm Monday-Thursday. CLOSED FRIDAYS. It can be mailed to you upon receipt of \$2.00 and your address, make checks payable to "Notary Committee/Miami County Bar Association".
- 3. Applicant shall complete an application for Certificate as Notary Public for state of Ohio. The applicant is **not** to sign the application until they come in to take the test. Picture identification is required. It can be picked up at the Law Library or downloaded from this site.
- 4. When applicant is ready to take the test, he/she should call the law library for an appointment. The telephone number is 440-5994. Tests are scheduled by appointment only, between 9:15am-10:15 am and 12:45pm-2:15 pm Monday through Thursday. A passing grade is 75%.
- 5. Upon successfully completing eligibility requirements and test, the Application for Certificate is forwarded to the applicable Judge, with fee of \$40.00. The fee is paid by cash or check only. Check is payable to NOTARY COMMITTEE/MIAMI COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION.
- 6. The \$40.00 does **not** include a stamp or seal, or the recording of the Certificate with the Common Pleas Clerk of Court. The recording fee is \$6.00. The stamp or seal may be purchased at an office supply store.